

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether various Defence Public Sector Undertakings (DPSUs) and Ordnance Factories have huge infrastructure and assets developed over seventy years and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether some DPSUs are running into losses due to not getting work orders by his Ministry and other civil agencies;
- (c) if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) the remedial action taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (DR. SUBHASH BHAMRE)
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
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(a) 9 Defence Public Sector Undertakings (DPSUs) have 47 units & Ordnance factories have 41 units spread all over India. They have established all facilities for design, development, manufacture and repair of equipments/products for the armed forces. Detailed information is enclosed as per Annexure-I.

(b) & (c): Hindustan Shipyard Limited (HSL) was in losses for many years due to lack of orders. However, it earned profit during the last two years and Bharat Earth Movers Limited (BEML) had one time loss during the year 2012-13 due to an extraordinary situation. However BEML earned profits during successive financial years.

(d) Ministry has issued letter of offer for construction of Special Operation Vehicles and Fleet Support Ships to HSL.
